

Committee: **London Public Library Board**

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: **Stuart Clark**

Occupation: **IT consultant / trainer**

Work experience: **25+ years in IT infrastructure with a focus on backup and disaster recovery, and process training.**

Education: **3 year college degree in programming; continuing education course in various facets of IT industry skill sets.**

Skills: **I understand IT and information systems, and have a passion for furthering transparency of the changing role of libraries in our communities. I am a member of the current London Public Library board and attended meetings prior to that for three years so I have an excellent understanding on what issues are currently of concern/of significance to the Library.**

Interest reason: **I have a interest in libraries and the role they offer to the community. Over the past 4 years the Library has done many thing to further quality of life for the city in the services and programs it offers.**

Contributions: **Attending Library Board meetings for 7 years (3 years as a guest, the last 4 as a member of the board) has given me the experience to continue to serve the library. My professional and volunteer roles over the years have enabled me to look at challenges and opportunities for positive change within the community. My technological skills gives me insight into future trends in the digital space that the London Public Library is currently undergoing, and will continue to evolve. My love of the library system and what it does for people, particularly in these rapidly changing times, can contribute to its further success.**

Past contributions: **I am currently serving on the library board which includes currently serving as board chair. In addition, I have advised various community groups in technology and engagement.**

Interpersonal: **My current board role has given me a working familiarity with the policies, procedures and goals that the London Public Library strives for every day. Being part of various organizations, both professionally and personally, has given me the experience to look at all sides of an issue and help to bring consensus for the betterment of organizations and their clients and stakeholders.**

Interview interest: **Yes**